

Annual Report

CAMPTON

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YEAR ENDING

December 31, 1949

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
OFFICERS
OF THE
Town of Campton, N. H.

YEAR ENDING
December 31, 1949

The Record Print
Plymouth, N. H.

TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator—Lester E. Mitchell

Representative—Philip S. Willey

Town Clerk—Lavinia E. Dole

Selectmen—Bertram W. Pulsifer, George V. Durgin,
W. B. Avery

Treasurer—Fred E. Pulsifer

Tax Collector—Paul S. Durgin

Road Agent—Russell W. Palmer

Supervisors of Check List—Philip S. Willey, William C.
Houston, Shirley Tracy

Overseer of Poor—Edwin L. Heal

Superintendent of Cemeteries—Richard Palmer

Sexton—Richard Palmer

Trustees of Trust Fund—S. P. Robie, W. B. Avery,
John Dole

Police—A. F. Downing, George Burhoe, Jr.,
Lewis Earl Evans

Auditors—Harold Henderson, Irving Brown

Judge of Municipal Court—Edwin L. Heal

Library Trustees—Daisy Stickney, Minnie Colpitts

Health Officer—George Burhoe, Jr.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Campton in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town House in said Campton on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise for the maintenance of its highways and bridges and make appropriation of the same.

4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900.00 for Campton Cemetery, also clean up and fence other cemeteries in Town.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for Memorial Day.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400 for White Pine Blister Rust Control.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 for the White Mountain Region Association.

9. "Shall the provisions of Chapter 171 A, relative to playing games of Beano, be adopted in this city or town." (According to State Law this article will appear on the printed ballot.)

10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Campton Volunteer Fire Department.

11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, as provided by Chapter 223, Laws of 1947, to purchase the Eldred Berry property and to administer it under the provisions of the above law, and appropriate money for the same.

12. To see if the Town will vote to accept the reports of agents and officers heretofore chosen.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty.

W. B. AVERY,

BERTRAM W. PULSIFER,

Selectmen of Campton

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

W. B. AVERY,

BERTRAM W. PULSIFER,

Selectmen of Campton

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CAMPTON

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year January 1, 1950 to December 31, 1950, Compared with estimated and actual revenue, appropriations and expenditures of the previous year January 1, 1949 to December 31, 1949.

Sources of Revenue

	Actual 1949	Estimated 1950
From State:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 2,707.02	\$ 2,500.00
Railroad Tax	164.09	150.00
Savings Bank Tax	674.16	650.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	221.25	200.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	13.28	
National Forest Reserve	78.96	80.00
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	32.83	
Blister Rust Refund	1.36	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses	320.80	300.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	14.25	15.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	174.78	100.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	35.00	35.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	221.55	200.00
Income of Departments:		
Miscellaneous	357.82	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3,210.34	3,000.00
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:		
Washburn Road		4,000.00
Cash Surplus	Nil	Nil

From Local Taxes Other Than**Property Tax:**

(a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2	1,084.00	1,000.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	14.00	14.00
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Total Revenue from All Sources	9,325.45	12,344.00
*Amount to be raised by Property Taxes	49,296.99	50,631.00
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Total Revenues	58,622.44	62,975.00

Purposes of Expenditures

	Actual 1949	Estimated 1950
Current Maintenance Expenses:		

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 865.00	\$ 865.00
Town Officers' Expenses	351.19	350.00
Election and Registration Expenses	30.00	200.00
Municipal Court Expenses	125.00	125.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	93.61	100.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	145.75	150.00
Fire Department	1,026.55	1,000.00
Moth Extermination— Blister Rust	400.00	400.00

Health:

Health Department, Including Hospitals	1,000.00	1,000.00
Vital Statistics	29.50	30.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	94.30	100.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Maintenance: Summer	6,600.00	6,500.00
Town Maintenance: Winter	2,022.25	3,000.00

Street Lighting	20.17	25.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	1,576.14	1,000.00
Town Road Aid	557.20	600.00
Libraries	127.70	130.00
Public Welfare:		
Town Poor	250.00	350.00
Old Age Assistance	1,347.68	1,500.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	50.00	50.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	800.00	800.00
Insurance	203.79	200.00
Miscellaneous	318.50	
Unclassified:		
Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage	15.00	15.00
Advertising and Regional Assns.	25.00	25.00
Taxes bought by Town	196.83	300.00
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid Construction—Town's Share		5,000.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
Precinct Tax	4,153.75	4,200.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
County Taxes	5,200.30	4,960.00
School Taxes	29,297.06	30,000.00
Total Expenditures	57,061.77	62,975.00

* Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

1949 INVENTORY

Land and Buildings	\$852,744.00
Growing wood and timber	87,735.00
Electric plants, power lines and transformers	85,876.00
44 horses	4,050.00
147 cows	19,425.00
24 neat stock	2,525.00
850 fowl	850.00
8 sheep	160.00
Vehicles and rolling stock	6,000.00
Wood and lumber	3,700.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	2,755.00
Stock in trade	328,475.00
Mills and machinery	207,400.00
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	\$1,601,695.00
Property Exempted to Veterans	38,150.00
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	1,639,845.00

Taxes Levied for all Purposes, 1949

Highways and Bridges	\$ 10,750.00
Cemeteries	800.00
Memorial Day	50.00
White Pine Blister Rust	400.00
Hospital	1,000.00
White Mountain Region Association	25.00
Town Charges	5,000.00
County Tax	5,200.30
Schools	27,646.89
Campton Fire Department	1,000.00
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	\$ 51,872.19
Town Tax Rate	\$2.82 per \$100 valuation
Precinct Tax	\$2.22 per \$100 valuation

SELECTMEN IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF CAMPTON

Receipts 1949

From Local Sources

Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1948 \$ 8,064.42

Paul S. Durgin

1949 Property Tax	\$41,435.48	
1948 Property Tax	3,835.59	
1949 Polls	838.00	
1948 Polls	246.00	
		\$46,355.07

From Local Sources Except Taxes

E. L. Heal, 1948 Fines	71.80
E. L. Heal, 1949 Fines	102.98
Union Grange Fair chloride	154.44
R. W. Palmer, refund Tar a/c	52.95
Campton Grange, rent Town Hall	35.00
Selectmen Fire Arms Permits	4.25

Paul S. Durgin,

Bank Tax	14.00
Penalty Polls	26.00
Land Redeemed	150.43
Interest	195.55

Lavinia E. Dole

Auto Permits	3,212.34	
Dog Taxes	320.80	
Filing Fees	10.00	
		\$ 4,348.54

From State

National Forest Reserve	78.96
Reimbursement	
Loss of Taxes 1948	221.25
Forest Fire Refund	13.28
R. L. Avery Refund OAA	32.83
Blister Rust Refund	1.36

Savings Bank Tax	674.16	
Railroad Tax	164.09	
Interest and Dividend Tax	2,707.02	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,892.95
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		\$62,660.98

Expenditures

Town Officers' Salaries

Harold Henderson, Auditor	\$	5.00	
I. H. Brown, Auditor		5.00	
Geo. V. Durgin, Selectman		150.00	
W. B. Avery, Selectman		140.00	
B. W. Pulsifer, Selectman		140.00	
F. E. Pulsifer, Treasurer		75.00	
P. S. Durgin, Collector		200.00	
Lavinia E. Dole, Clerk		75.00	
E. L. Heal, Overseer		50.00	
S. P. Robie, Trustee		20.00	
	<hr/>	\$	860.00

Town Officers' Expenses

Brown and Saltmarsh, dog tags	21.10
E. C. Eastman, tax books	9.19
B. W. Pulsifer, bonds	71.00
Brown and Saltmarsh, town clerk	4.50
F. J. Shores, transfers	18.22
Robert G. Wakefield, services	15.00
D. L. Garrison, guide	5.00
Anna Proctor, transfers	.40
Record Print, reports	159.15
Assessors Assn., dues	2.00
P. S. Durgin, tax sale	14.00
Secretary of State, fees	2.00
Brown and Saltmarsh, tax book	14.70
Ida M. Horner, Secy. dues	2.00
W. B. Avery, postage & telephone	28.38
Geo. V. Durgin, postage & telephone	6.75
B. W. Pulsifer, postage and telephone	3.70
P. S. Durgin, postage & telephone	23.00
Marion Avery, copying	25.00

Lavinia E. Dole, auto permits	298.50	
Lavinia E. Dole, postage and telephone	7.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 730.59
Election and Registration		
Record Print, ballots	16.00	
Record Print, stickers	4.00	
F. C. Spokesfield, ballot clerk	4.00	
J. F. Hodgson, ballot clerk	4.00	
L. E. Mitchell, Moderator	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 33.00
Highways		
R. W. Palmer, Agent	6,500.00	
Tar	442.80	
Bump Bridge	750.00	
Nellie Dubeau, road work	100.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue Tax	228.90	
Harold Edgell, snow	2,022.25	
State of N. H., TRA	557.20	
	<hr/>	\$10,601.15
Schools		
Marion Avery, Treas., Bal. 1948	9,235.17	
Dog Tax (1948)	297.06	
1949 Approp.	19,764.83	
	<hr/>	\$29,297.06
County		
H. S. Huckins, County Tax	5,200.30	\$ 5,200.30
Precinct		
S. A. Cheney, precinct money	4,153.75	\$ 4,153.75
State		
State Treasurer OAA	1,347.68	\$ 1,347.68
Relief		
E. L. Heal, Overseer	250.00	\$ 250.00
Cemeteries		
R. L. Palmer, Supt.	800.00	\$ 800.00

Libraries

Laura E. Pulsifer, librarian	50.00		
Hilda E. Avery, librarian	12.00		
Trustees	65.70		
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Bounties

Selectmen (Bounties Paid)	139.50	\$	139.50
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Court

E. L. Heal, Judge	125.00	\$	125.00
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Vital Statistics

Lavinia E. Dole, recording	29.50	\$	29.50
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Health

W. B. Avery, posting notices	2.50	\$	2.50
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Memorial Day

C. J. Reed	50.00	\$	50.00
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Protection of Persons and Property

Milton Bruso, Fire Warden	26.55		
Geo. Burhoe, Jr., Police	77.75		
Milton Bruso, Police	43.00		
W. B. Avery, Dog Police	25.00		
	<hr/>	\$	172.30

Town Hall

W. B. Avery, Repairs	3.60		
B. W. Pulsifer, wood	9.00		
White Mt. Power Co., lights	22.71		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. telephone	49.40		
	<hr/>	\$	84.71

Dump

Geo. C. Burhoe, Jr., burning	58.30		
W. B. Avery, 5 gal. oil	1.00		
Maurice Paquette, bulldozer	20.00		
Frank Sellingham, burning	8.00		
Harold Evans, burning	8.00		
	<hr/>	\$	95.30

General

White Mt. Power Co., street lights	20.17	
Ayer Ins. Agency, insurance	12.50	
Ayer Ins. Agency, liability	132.79	
Lavinia E. Dole, refund	20.00	
John H. Foster, Blister Rust	400.00	
Paul S. Durgin, taxes bought		
by town	196.83	
State of N. H., chloride	154.44	
Campton Village Fire Dept.		
Special Appropriation	1,000.00	
White Mt. Region Assn., dues	25.00	
Sceva Speare Memorial		
Hospital Appropriation	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,961.73
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		\$ 57,061.77

FINANCIAL STATEMENT - 1949

Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$ 5,599.21
Cash in hands of Supt. of Cemeteries	5.45
Cash in hands of Overseer of Poor	31.21
Cash in hands of Harold Edgell	428.00
Due from State, Bounties	139.50
Due from Lavinia Dole	8.74
Uncollected Taxes, Dec. 31, 1949	8,107.51
Due on Tax Sales	315.10
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	14,634.72

Liabilities

Due School District	\$ 7,882.06
1/2 National Forest Reserve	39.48
Dog Tags	274.70
War Memorial Appropriation	250.00
Due R. W. Palmer, Road Agent	26.20
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	\$ 8,472.44
Assets, December 31, 1948	\$ 3,169.07
Assets, December 31, 1949	6,162.28

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1949

Dr.

Taxes committed to Collector

Property taxes	\$49,296.99
National Bank Tax	14.00

Total Warrant	\$ 49,310.99
Interest Collected	1.76

Total Debits	\$ 49,312.75
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Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$ 41,435.48
National Bank Stock Taxes	14.00
Interest Collected	1.76
Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's list	7,861.51

Total Credits	\$ 49,312.75
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT

1949 Polls

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Poll Taxes	\$ 1,084.00
Penalty on all Poll Taxes	26.00

\$ 1,110.00

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Poll Taxes	\$ 838.00
Penalty on all Polls	26.00
Uncollected Taxes	246.00

\$ 1,110.00

(For Previous Year's Levy)
SUMMARY OF WARRANT
Levy of 1948 Property

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes—

as of January 1, 1949

Property Tax	\$ 3,823.79	
Interest collected	164.57	
Added Tax	14.75	
		\$ 4,003.11

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer

Year ending December 31, 1949

Property Taxes	3,835.59	
Interest collected during year	164.57	
Abatement during year	2.95	

Total		\$ 4,003.11
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(For Previous Year's Levy)

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1948 and 1947

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1949

Poll Taxes	274.00	
Added Taxes	24.00	
		\$ 298.00

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer

Poll Taxes

Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

Poll Taxes

		\$ 298.00
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SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

As of December 31, 1949

Dr.

Tax Sale on account of Levies of:

	1948	1947	1946	Previous Years
(a) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal year	\$210.83	\$	\$	\$
(b) Balance of unredeemed Taxes January 1, 1949		140.34	73.88	40.48
Interest Collected after sale		3.12	14.60	11.50
Total Debits	\$210.83	\$143.46	\$ 88.48	\$ 51.98

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer During year	\$	\$ 59.95	\$ 88.48	\$ 31.22
Unredeemed Taxes—At close of Year	210.83	83.51		20.76
Total Credits	\$210.83	\$143.46	\$ 88.48	\$ 51.98

Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sale

On Account of Levies of:

	1948	1947	1944
George C. Burhoe, Sr.	\$ 28.69	\$ 26.07	\$
F. W. Hall Heirs	63.72	57.44	
Jason Webster	33.09		
Alice Young	85.33		
A. H. Sawyer Heirs			20.76
	\$210.83	\$ 83.51	\$ 20.76

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1949, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PAUL S. DURGIN

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Russell W. Palmer

Account with Town of Campton

Received from Town for Highways	\$ 6,500.00
Received from Town for Bump Bridge	750.00
Received from Town for tar fund	442.80
Cash on hand Jan. 1	84.40

Due from Town 26.20

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	\$ 7,803.40
Russell W. Palmer, labor and truck	\$ 1,085.20
Lewis Noseworthy, labor and truck	2,569.70
Robert Avery, labor	991.60
Carl Koford, labor	910.30
Haven Butler, labor	178.80
Harold Ash, labor	428.65
Lester Mitchell, Jr., labor and tractor	43.25
Robert Noseworthy, labor	41.10
Harold Edgell, repairs road machine	65.66
Chase Grain Mill, culverts and salt	184.04
Edward Latuch, labor and team	8.00
Ralph Sanborn, parts Bump Bridge	5.00
A. M. Rand Co., Paint and brushes	10.65
Kuppers Co., Inc., treated timbers	339.82
George Plant, labor	44.00
Carol Palmer, labor	8.00
Edwin L. Heal, tire for sander	12.11
Bayfield Shaw, gravel	30.40
R. S. Yeaton, lumber	322.36
Treasurer State of N. H., Grader, tar, etc.	249.88
Howard Coffin, labor	92.40
Herbert Coffin, labor	10.00
Henry Coffin, labor	95.50
E. C. Eastman, payroll forms	1.36
W. B. Avery, gravel and supplies	67.38
Analysis Charge	8.24
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	\$ 7,803.40

SNOW REMOVAL

Harold Edgell in Account with the Town

January 1, 1949 to December 31, 1949

Cash on Hand, January 1	\$ 437.60
Received from Town	2,022.25
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	\$ 2,459.85

Expenditures

Harold Edgell	
Truck No. 1, plow and driver	\$ 512.00
Truck No. 3, plow and driver	1,020.00
FWD, plow and driver	101.70
H. Johnson, helper	144.00
R. Avery, helper	140.80
L. Avery, helper	34.40
D. Johnson, helper	1.60
H. Edgell, helper	1.60
B. W. Pulsifer, snow removal	50.75
L. E. Mitchell, Jr., snow removal	25.00
Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1950	428.00
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	\$ 2,459.85

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES

1949

Receipts

Jan. 1, 1949, Cash on hand	\$ 25.00
Received from town	800.00
Received L. W. Keeney, 1 lot	20.00
Received from John LaPoint 1/2 lot	10.00
Received from Mrs. J. DeGrace, 1/2 lot	10.00
Total receipts	\$ 865.00
Amount Spent	859.55
Amount on hand, Jan. 1, 1950	\$ 5.45

Expenditures

Jason Webster, labor	\$ 164.40
B. J. Salvin, labor	34.80
James C. Palmer, labor	34.00
Truman Heath, labor	164.40
R. L. Nichols, labor	24.80
Earl Webster	56.00
Geo. Webster	44.40
L. H. Flanders	97.60
Potkay's Auto Service, cutting fence posts	.75
R. L. Palmer	200.00
W. B. Avery, supplies	38.40
	\$ 859.55

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Receipts

1949

Jan. 1	Cash in Banks	\$ 14,949.05
May 9	Rec'd. from Irene P. Curtis, executor for Kate E. Pettingill Estate	500.00
Aug. 2	Rec'd. from E. Clinton Wallace, Admr. of Nellie F. Horne Estate	100.00
Oct. 18	Rec'd. from Mrs. Bertha B. Fifield for Dr. Harry Fifield lot	25.00
	Rec'd. Interest	164.89
Total Receipts		<hr/> \$ 15,738.94

Expenditures

May 19	Paid Richard L. Palmer for labor on lots	\$ 200.00
July 28	Paid Richard L. Palmer for labor on lots	150.00
Dec. 12	Paid Richard L. Palmer for labor on lots	7.74
Total expenditures		<hr/> \$ 357.74

1949

Jan. 1	Cash in banks	\$ 14,949.05
	Receipts	789.89
		<hr/> 15,738.94
	Expended	357.74
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Dec. 31	Cash in Banks	\$ 15,381.20
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S. P. ROBIE, Treas.

JOHN L. DOLE

1949

WALTER I. LEE EDUCATIONAL TRUST FUND

Receipts

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1948	\$ 1,112.15
Dividends to Dec. 31, 1949	1,511.75
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	\$ 2,623.90

Expenditures

Manhattan Trust Co., stock	\$ 46.53
Cooke Jenkins & Co., stock	1,042.50
Pemi. National Bank, bank charge	.42
Transferred to School Dist.	
Bank Balance	22.65
Paid School Dist. Dividends to	
Dec. 31, 1949	1,511.75
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	\$ 2,623.90

S. P. ROBIE,

W. B. AVERY,

JOHN L. DOLE,

Trustees of Trust Funds

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR FOR 1949

Amount on hand, Jan. 1, 1949	\$ 175.27
From Town, June 3, 1949	100.00
From Town, Dec. 15, 1949	150.00
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Total	\$ 425.27
Paid Gammons Funeral Home, Funeral and Ambulance for A. J. Palmer	\$ 165.00
Paid L. B. Copenhaver, M.D., House call to A. J. Palmer	2.00
Paid W. B. Avery, groceries to Herman Wright	139.45
Paid Bert Cheney, groceries to Herman Wright	10.69
Paid W. B. Avery, groceries to Kenneth Hoyt	75.00
Bank Service Charges	1.92
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	\$ 394.06
Balance on Hand	\$ 31.21

EDWIN L. HEAL,

Overseer of Poor

REPORT OF CAMPTON MUNICIPAL COURT

Motor Vehicle cases tried	23
Non-Support	2
Tax Evasion	2
Fish and Game	5
Small Claims	26
Juvenile	3
Total amount taken in	\$ 486.10
Paid Motor Vehicle Department	\$ 220.20
Paid Plymouth Record (warrants printed)	5.75
Paid Reporter Press (Small Claims & Writs)	11.77
Paid Town of Campton	102.93
Paid Fish and Game Dept.	145.40
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	\$ 486.10

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Balance on Hand	\$	94.33
Received from Town		65.70
	\$	160.08
May 10 Goodman's Book Store	\$	14.95
Dec. 14 Apple Tree Book Shop		35.54
Analysis charge		.80
	\$	50.39
Balance on Hand	\$	109.69

DAISY M. STICKNEY, Treas.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1949

Cash received for filing fees	\$ 10.00
Cash received for issuing auto permits	3,219.08
Cash received for issuing dog licenses, less fees	320.80
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	\$ 3,549.88
Paid Town Treasurer	3,541.14
Balance due Town	8.74

Having examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Overseer of Poor, Town Clerk, Road Agent, Superintendent of Cemeteries, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds and Collector of Taxes, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HAROLD HENDERSON,
IRVING H. BROWN, Auditors

January 19th, 1950.

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL
Financial Statement
TOWN OF CAMPTON — 1949

Expenditures			
Town Funds	\$	398.64	
State and Federal		55.90	
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Total			\$ 454.54
Amount received from Town	\$	400.00	
Expended from Town Funds		398.64	
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Balance due Town			1.36
Area covered		1,869	acres
Currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed		4,904	

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE CAMPTON VILLAGE PRECINCT

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1949

Balance Sheet

Assets

Cash on hand	
Lights	\$ 404.78
Sidewalks	158.20
Water	251.96
From Others:	
Uncollected Water Rents, Est.	150.00
Total Assets	964.94
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Debt)	34,296.99
Grand Total	\$ 35,261.93

Liabilities

Bills Owed by Precinct

Lights	\$ 260.00
Water - Supplies	269.43
Water - Interest	232.50
Sidewalks	None
Notes outstanding	5,500.00
Bonds outstanding	29,000.00
Total Liabilities	\$ 35,261.93
Grand Total	\$ 35,261.93

Schedule of Precinct Property

Lands: Winter Brook Area and Basin Mad River Area and 2 Reservoirs, Water Mains, Hydrants and Service outlets of complete system.

Receipts and Payments

Receipts

Current Revenue:

From Taxes Town of Campton	
For Water Acct,	\$ 3,108.75
Street Light Acct.	795.00
Side Walk Acct.	250.00

From other sources:

Water Rents	1,463.65
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$ 5,617.40
Cash on hand at beginning of year	557.92

Grand Total	\$ 6,175.32
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Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

Salaries	\$ 40.00
Street Lights	520.00
Int. Rev.	.50
Labor	962.53
Supplies	114.18
Bank Anal. Chg. & Postage	16.02
Thawing freeze ups	60.50
State water test	2.00

Total Current Maintenance Expenses:	\$ 1,715.73
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Interest paid	608.75
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Outlay, New Equip:

Pipe	229.65
Suction pump	229.05
Fittings	77.20

Total Outlay Payments	535.90
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Indebtedness:

Payment on Notes	500.00
Payment on Bonds	2,000.00

Total Indebtedness Payments	2,500.00
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Total Payments for all Purposes	5,360.38
Cash on hand at end of year	814.94

Grand Total	\$ 6,175.32
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Births Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1949

Date of Birth	Name of Child (If any)	Sex, Cond		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male	Female						
Jan 12	Arthur Charles Jr	M	L	W Arthur Chas Joyce	Ruby Irene Howe	W Campton	Stock clerk	Bishopton Quebec	Canaan
Jan 19	Theodore Joseph 3rd	M	L	W Theodore J Inkell Jr	Margaret L. Nott	W Campton	Truck driver	Littleton	Brooklyn N Y
Feb 14	Marlene Maria	F	L	W Theodore Bolyon	Bern Howe Danforth	W Campton	Petty officer	Fall River Mass	Beebe River
Mar 14	Deborah Lee	F	L	W Sidney L Cheney	Thelma O. Currier	W Campton	Carpenter	Campton	Rockport Me
Mar 21	Brenda Sue	F	L	W Lester H Plant	Frances E. Head	W Campton	Carpenter	Plymouth	Gray Maine
Mar 24	Catherine Mary	F	L	W Roger A McBride	Ruth E. Klemm	W Campton	Laborer	Beebe River	Erkenscherwick Ger
Apr 4	William Daniel	M	L	W Joseph B O'Brien	Elizabeth J O'Hearn	W Campton	Operating engineer	New Brunswick Can	Campton
Apr 18	James Edward	M	L	W James W O'Brien	Elizabeth F. Wood	W Campton	Tractor driver	New Brunswick Can	Campton
Apr 26	Laura Jean	F	L	W Milton Leman Green	Lillian F. Merrill	W Campton	Fireman	Lube Maine	Glenduff
May 8	Linda Jeanne	F	L	W Russell S. Sargent	Harriet J. Goodman	W Campton	Mill worker	Campton	Somerville Mass
May 23	Cynthia Louise	F	L	W Roger Stearns Inkell	Helen Mae Keeney	W Campton	Laborer	Littleton	Gardner Mass
June 1	Lewis Everett 2nd	M	L	W Lewis E Marden	Ida Bell Grimstead	W Campton	Gov't Inspector	Thornton	Dublin Georgia
June 3	Robert Bryan	M	L	W Robert C McCormack	Beverly Nellie Jover	W Campton	Laborer	Moultonboro	W Stewartstown
June 18	Stuart Irwin	M	L	W Robert Austin Little	Mary L. S. Poucher	W Campton	Laborer	Campton	Stowe Vt
June 28	Steven Douglas	M	L	W Clinton W Garland	Alice L. Robertson	W Campton	Gas service	Boston Mass	Boston Mass
July 23	Joan Byron	F	L	W Byron Lee Newton	Janice F. Ayer	W Campton	Laborer	York Village Me	Plymouth
Aug 7	Gideon Arthur	M	L	W Wayne P. Langdell	Roxanna Irene Hunt	W Campton	Laborer	Waterville Vt	Pittsfield Vt
Aug 21	Edna May	F	L	W John Henry Comeau	Lucy Ethel Hobart	W Campton	Laborer	Campton	Hebron
Oct 14	Gail Ellen	F	L	W John W Thompson Jr	Margaret E. Ahern	W Campton	Electrician	Seckonk Mass	Plymouth R I
Oct 23	Steven Doane	M	L	W Burton F. Pierce	Jane Higgins	W Campton	Millwright	Hardwick Vt	Campton
Oct 31	Ethel Grace	F	L	W Charles H. Higgins	Grace Noseworthy	W Campton	Lumberman	Meredith	Plymouth
Nov 10	Alvin Wallace Jr	M	L	W Alvin W. Pickering	Aletha P. Archibald	W Campton	Mill worker	Beecher Falls Vt	Quebec
Nov 11	William Gene	M	L	W David Cote	Ethel Persis Joyce	W Campton	Laborer	Canada	W Campton
Nov 13	James Arthur Jr	M	L	W James A. Blanchard	Florence Nelson	W Campton	Painter	Waterville Me	Brunswick Maine
Nov 24	Anne Chayer	F	L	W Lawrence E. Chayer	Beverly Ann Hopkins	W Campton	Laborer		

Marriages Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1949

Date—1949	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Times married and Name residence and Official Station of person by whom married
Jan 1	Woodstock	Donald Irwin Wright	Campton	26	W	Mill work	Warren	Arthur Wright	Warren	1 Robert C Sharp
		Geraldine L Downing	Thornton	18	W	At home	Plymouth	Nancy Flanders	Warren	Clergyman
Jan 27	Campton	Roger Stearns Inzell	Thornton	17	W	Trucking	Littleton	Hollis Downing	Concord	1 Woodstock
		Helen May Keeney	Campton	18	W	At home	Gardner Mass	Zena Sanborn	Plymouth	1 Herbert C Taylor
Mar 3	Rumney	Fred Arthur Moulton	Campton	32	W	Truck driver	Campton	Theodore Inzell	Canada	Clergyman
		Virginia E Pierce	Rumney Depot	26	W	Housewife	Rumney	Mabel Stearns	Littleton	1 Campton
Apr 16	Plymouth	James A Blanchette	Contecook	30	W	Painter	St John N B	Lenuel Keeney	Melrose Mass	
		Florence May Nelson	Campton	18	W	At home	W Campton	Blanche Davis	Haverhill Mass	2 Ernest Brown
May 6	Campton	Riley Francis Strong	Campton	25	W	Shoemaker	N Stratford	Benjamin Moulton	Campton	Minister
		Sara Aileen Saulnier	Campton	20	W	Inspector	Campton	Lulu Reed	Plymouth	2 Rumney
June 19	Campton	Harry C Blanchette	Waltham Mass	33	W	Floor layer	W Hopkinton	Elizabeth Patterson	Rumney	1 William Maynard
		Pauline M Blanchette	Waltham Mass	19	W	At home	W Hopkinton	Harry Blanchette	Francestown	Justice of Peace
June 25	Keene	Richard Henry Mills	Warner	26	W	Teacher	Syracuse N Y	Mabel E O'Neal	Canada	1 Plymouth
		Betty Elaine Bolton	Campton	20	W	Teacher	Beebe River	Frank Nelson	Claremont	1 Herbert C Taylor
								Richard F Strong	Littleton	Clergyman
								Martha Colby	Bow	1 Campton
								Howard Saulnier	Yarmouth	1 Herbert C. Taylor
								Eva Dolloff	Campton	Clergyman
								Harry Blanchette	Riverdale	1 Campton
								Mabel O'Neal	Kellams Mills N	Clergyman
								Philip Blanchette	New Boston	1 Campton
								Evelyn Clark	W Hopkinton	1 J Donald Johnston
								Howard Mills	Syracuse N Y	Clergyman
								Mabel Smith	Ossage Wis	1 Keene
								Gerry Bolton	Landaff	
								Marion Putnam	Grandham	

MARRIAGES—(Continued)

July 16	Campton	Thomas D Beggs Jr	Foxboro Mass	31 W	Follow-up	Dept	Foxboro Mass	Thomas D Beggs Barbara Hodges Norman Wright Amy Churchill John Noseworthy Josephine Adams Smith A Merrill Isabelle Horner Lemuel Keeney Blanche Davis William Wright Doris Ejsnor Dorothea Hubbard George F Tirey Elizabeth Babb Murray B Fox Caroline F Watson Joseph Basley Edith Dumas Alfonso F Downing Phoebe Avery Adolph Delsart Marion McKinley Martin A O'Brien Margaret S Johnston Stephen S Colpitts Minnie L Avery	Ogdensburg N Y Foxboro Mass Taunton Mass Taunton Mass Plymouth Mass Newfoundland Campton Thornton Thornton Melrose Mass Boston Mass Boston Mass Campton Washington Flats Dawson Springs Ky Portsmouth Canada Canada Ft Kent Frenchville Campton Ellsworth New Jersey Nashua Canada Canada Canada Campton	2 Deane L Hodges Clergyman 1 Plymouth 1 Deane L Hodges Clergyman 1 Plymouth 1 Deane L Hodges Clergyman 1 Plymouth 1 Deane L Hodges Clergyman 1 Plymouth 1 George F Currier Minister 1 Tuftonboro 2 Herbert C Taylor Clergyman 2 Campton 1 Robert C Sharp Clergyman 1 Canaan 1 John J Foley Catholic Priest 1 Littleton		
Sept 12	Plymouth	Natalie B Wright	Taunton Mass	31 W	Secretary		Taunton Mass					
Sept 24	Campton	Lewis Noseworthy	Campton	29 W	Laborer		Campton					
Sept 24	Campton	Arlene May Merrill	Thornton	24 W	Secretary		Thornton					
Sept 24	Campton	Edward W Keeney	Campton	29 W	Factory worker		Lynn Mass					
Sept 24	Campton	Beverly A Wright	Campton	20 W	At home		Boston Mass					
Sept 24	Campton	Harry W Cheney	Campton	21 W	Mill worker		Campton					
Sept 25	Campton	Dolores K Tirey	Campton	20 W	Mill worker		Boston Mass					
Sept 25	Campton	Harold Joseph Cox	Cambridge Mass	53 W	Dentist		Michigan					
Sept 25	Campton	Marie C Chandler	Cambridge Mass	24 W	Waitress		Fort Kent Me					
Oct 22	Campton	Alfonso L Downing	Campton	25 W	Mechanic		Campton					
Oct 22	Campton	Edith Irene Delsart	Dorchester	18 W	Waitress		Warren					
Nov 24	Littleton	Martin A O'Brien Jr	Campton	23 W	Laborer		Campton					
Nov 24	Littleton	Priscilla A Colpitts	Campton	20 W	Student		Plymouth					

Deaths Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1949

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex and Cond			Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
					Male	Female	Color			
			Years							
Oct 14 '4	New Haven Conn	Mary Hannah Berry	99	W Campton	F	W	W	At home	Jacob Sanborn	Olive Greenwood
Nov 10 '4	Campton	Martha Ella Edgerly	85	Campton	F	W	W	At home	Daniel Blaisdell	Elizabeth Avery
Jan 7 '49	Campton	Jeanie Wood Robbins	90	Keene	F	W	W	Housewife	Henry Woods	Susan Crosby
Jan 26	Holderness	Jos Warren Pulsifer	87	Campton	M	W	W	Farmer	David Pulsifer	Isabelle Draper
Jan 30	Ashtland	Ella Jane Brown	86	Thornton Mass	F	W	W	Housewife	John Colby	Martha Page
Feb 3	Plymouth	Henry F Dwinells	74	Haverhill Mass	M	W	M	Ball winder	Charles H Dwinells	Elizabeth C Wise
Feb 16	Haverhill	Burly Avery	67	New Hampshire	M	W	M	Plumber	Wilbur Avery	Laura Batchelder
Mar 18	Campton	Ola Garland Smith	60	No Woodstock	M	W	M	Office work	Lillian Smith	Minerva Kendrick
Mar 28	Campton	Pearl Marie Rose	26	Ayer Mass	F	W	M	Housewife	Elmer J Rose	Marie Janesere
May 16	Plymouth	Abbie Holmes Ward	82	Milford Mass	F	W	W	Housewife	Charles Holmes	Annie V Hildreth
May 24	Holderness	Warren Ames	82	Harrisburg Iowa	M	W	W	Farmer	David Ames	Henrietta Smith
June 6	Concord	Andrew J Fraser	89	Nova Scotia	M	W	M	SI Woodman	John Fraser	Ann Verness
June 24	Campton	Walter C Wrye	77	Dorchester Mass	M	W	M	C P A	George Wrye	Annie Wells
July 17	Campton	Arthur Boisvert	45	Grande Piles	M	W	M	Tool Mfg	Raoul Boisvert	Celina Charest
July 28	Plymouth	Ethel M Mitchell	59	Irassburg Vt	F	W	M	Housewife	George Newton	Lilla Guild
July 29	Campton	Irving Harry Lapoint	53	Sewarstown	M	W	M	Mill worker	John LaPoint	Mamie Dibo
Oct 1	Campton	Nora B Webster	67	Plymouth	F	W	M	Housewife	Frank Smith	Lora Pickering
Nov 16	Campton	Emma F Edgell	74	Tamworth	F	W	W	Housewife	Herbert Childs	Augusta Bickford
Dec 6	Campton	Jos Peter DeGrace	48	Shappigan N B	M	W	M	Millwright	Frank DeGrace	Not Known

School Report

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Campton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said district on the fourteenth day of March, 1950, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees, in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see if the District will vote to appropriate \$1,400.00 to cover deficiency appropriation for the present year, 1949-50.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Campton this 27th day of January, 1950.

RALPH E. AVERY,

DOROTHEA H. CHENEY,

CHARLES F. DESCARY,

School Board of Campton

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

RALPH E. AVERY,

DOROTHEA H. CHENEY,

CHARLES F. DESCARY,

School Board of Campton

OFFICERS OF THE CAMPTON SCHOOL DISTRICT

Moderator

Lester E. Mitchell

Clerk of School District

Minnie L. Colpitts

School Board — Term Expires

Ralph E. Avery	1950
Dorothea H. Cheney	1951
Charles F. Descary	1952

Treasurer

Marion E. Avery

Attendance and Census Officer

William B. Avery

Auditors

Harold L. Henderson

Irving H. Brown

Superintendent of Schools

Arthur S. Rollins

School Nurse

Anna M. Lovett

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE
CAMPTON SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1948
and Ending June 30, 1949**

Receipts

State and Federal Aid

National Forest Reserve	\$ 30.86
Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state)	10,666.83

Income from Local Taxation

Money actually received (raised by selectmen) for support of schools, tuition, salaries and other obliga- tions imposed by law or established by district	17,500.00
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Total	<u>\$ 28,197.69</u>
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From Sources Other Than Taxation

Dog licenses, 1948 (from Selectmen)	\$ 438.66
Elementary school tuitions	394.00

Total	<u>\$ 832.66</u>
Total receipts from all sources	29,030.35
Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1948	2,287.13

Grand Total	<u>\$ 31,317.53</u>
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PAYMENTS

	General Expenses	High School	Elementary School
Administration			
Salaries of district officers	\$ 262.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	518.19		
Tax for state wide supervision	422.00		
Expenses of administration:			
(a) Clerical assistants	100.40		
(b) Supplies and expenses	174.01		
Instruction			
Teacher's salaries		\$15,031.76	
Text books and other instructional aids		467.63	
Scholars' supplies		448.99	
Other expenses of Instruction:			
(a) Clerical assistants			
(b) Supplies (& Flags), other expenses			27.14
Operating and Maintenance			
School Plant			
Janitor service		\$ 1,089.00	
Fuel		995.75	
Water, light and janitor's supplies		245.19	
Repairs and replacements		419.22	
Auxiliary Activities			
Health supervision:			
(a) Salaries		\$ 571.39	
(b) Supplies and expenses			
Transportation of pupils			459.00

	General Expenses	High School	Elementary School
(b) Other			
High School Tuitions	\$	6,364.46	
Special Activities and Special funds	41.90		
Capital Outlay			
Addition and Improve- ments to Bldgs.	722.52		
New Equipment	354.70		
Fixed Charges			
Retirement	404.50		
Insurance, Treas. Bonds & Expenses	638.37		
Totals	<hr/> \$ 3,596.69	\$ 6,364.46	\$19,796.94
Total payments for all purposes	29,758.09		
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1949)	1,559.44		
Grand Total	<hr/> \$ 31,317.53		

BALANCE SHEET

Assets June 30, 1949

Cash on hand	
Balance June 30, 1949	\$ 1,559.44
Due from Town, Balance	
1948-49 School money	4,735.17
	<u>198.00</u>
Total Assets	\$ 6,492.61

Liabilities June 30, 1949

Accounts owed by district (unpaid bills)	\$ 4.50
Total liabilities	<u>4.50</u>
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)	6,488.11
Total	<u>\$ 6,492.61</u>

Auditors' Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Campton, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HAROLD L. HENDERSON,

IRVING H. BROWN,

July 15, 1949.

Auditors

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1950-1951

School District of Campton

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

	Elem. Schools
Administration	
Salaries of district officers	\$ 268.00
Superintendent's Salary (local share)	518.37
Tax for state wide supervision	402.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	134.60
Supplies and expenses	150.00
Instruction	
Salaries of teachers	16,650.00
Books and other instructional aids	400.00
Scholars' supplies	360.00
Other instructional expenses	100.00
Operation of School Plant	
Salaries of janitors	1,090.00
Fuel or heat	1,100.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses	250.00
Maintenance of School Plant	
Repairs and replacements	500.00
Auxiliary Activities	
Health supervision	610.00
Transportation	1,080.00
Tuition High School	10,150.00
Special activities and special funds	200.00
Fixed Charges	
Retirement	746 80
Insurance, Treasurer's Bonds and expenses	8.90
Capital Outlay	
New equipment	100.00
Debt, Interest and other charges	
Contingency Fund	350.00
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Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget	\$ 35,167.77

Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1950 (Estimated)	\$	0.00
State Aid (December 1949 Allotment)		0.00
Elementary School Tuition Receipts (Estimate)		304.00
Other Estimated Income (Forest Reserve)		35.00
Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not raised by taxation)	\$	339.00
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		34,828.77
Special Appropriation Proposed Deficiency Appropriation		<u>1,400.00</u>
Total Assessment required to cover budget and appropriations	\$	36,228.77

RALPH E. AVERY,
DOROTHEA H. CHENEY,
CHARLES F. DESCARY,

Campton, N. H.
Jan. 27, 1950.

School Board

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1949

School District of Campton

Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1948 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 2,287.18
Received from the Selectmen, appropriation for current year	17,500.00
Dog Tax, Bal. of 1947 & 1948	438.66
Received from State Treasurer (state aid)	10,666.83
All Other Sources	424.86
Total amount available for fiscal year (Balance and receipts)	\$ 31,317.53
Less School Board orders paid	29,758.09
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1949 (Treasurer's bank balance).	\$ 1,559.44

MARION E. AVERY,

July 1, 1949.

District Treasurer

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all
State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Campton, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, and find them correct in all respects.

HAROLD L. HENDERSON,

IRVING H. BROWN,

July 15, 1949.

Auditors

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To Campton School Board:

I herewith submit the report of School Nursing from September, 1948 to July, 1949.

Number of children inspected	146
Dental defects	50
Tonsils, enlarged or diseased	21
Glands	8
Vision	11
Underweight	3

These corrections were reported made:

Dental	76
Tonsils	5
Vision	13

New glasses	10
Lens changed	3

The Massachusetts Vision Test was used in testing the vision. Four children had free examinations and glasses by the Sight Conservation Program.

Hearing tests were given with the Group and Individual Maico Audiometers; 5 children showed definite hearing loss, one child had a hearing aid.

Six children attended the Dental Clinic at Plymouth and had treatment paid for by the Red Cross. Seventeen children reported having had Fluorine treatments.

The Salvation Army and Red Cross helped with clothes for several families when needed.

Hot lunches served in five schools helped the general nutrition greatly and was much appreciated.

These communicable diseases were reported:	
Measles	42
Whooping Cough	6
Skin	3
Mumps	21

The health inspection has been made this Fall as follows:

Number of children inspected	147
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Symptoms of these defects:

Dental	52
Tonsils	20
Glands	5
Underweight	6
Skin	1
Orthopedic	1
Speech	2
Hearing	4

The usual correction of defects, clinics, class room inspections and home calls are being carried on.

Once again I wish to thank all who have helped in this program to maintain and improve the health of Campton children.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA M. LOVETT, R.N.

WALTER I. LEE EDUCATIONAL TRUST FUND

(School Board's Report)

June 30, 1948 to December 31, 1949

Cash on Deposit in Savings Bank	
June 30, 1948	\$ 1,035.90
Received from Trustees of Trust Fund:	
Dividends—June 30 to Dec. 31, 1948	\$ 720.70
Jan. 1 — Dec. 31, 1949	1,511.75
Balance—Checking account	22.65
Received Interest on	
Savings Bank Funds, April 1, 1949	20.35
Total cash on hand and receipts	<u>\$ 3,311.35</u>
Paid Out:	
Seven loans at \$200.00	
Secured by Notes	\$ 1,400.00
Balance—Cash, Dec. 31, 1949	<u>\$ 1,911.35</u>

Deposited in Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank

RALPH E. AVERY,

DOROTHEA H. CHENEY,

CHARLES F. DESCARY,

School Board of Campton

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Campton School Board:

My seventh annual report of Superintendent of Campton schools is herewith submitted. It has been purposely made brief and presents only those items for discussion that seem to be of greatest immediate interest and importance.

Campton is one of two school districts in this supervisory union to lose its entire state aid allotment as a result of legislative economy. This has thrown a heavier load on local taxpayers which will continue until such time as the state aid program is revived. The situation in which we now find ourselves presents some real danger. The danger is that public desire to curtail expenditures may easily be carried to a point where children have to pay the bill through restricted educational advantages. If the school budget seems large it is the result of necessity rather than preference of any school officials.

Beginning in September, 1949, a start was made to give some financial recognition to professional improvement by teachers. However, Campton salaries are far below the state average as well as below the starting salaries of inexperienced teachers just out of College. This should be corrected as rapidly as it can be done if we are to retain our teachers or procure replacements when necessary.

Our teaching force is the same as last year with one exception. Miss Myrtle Dodge was unable to return to Blair School last September and requested leave of absence for the year in the hope that her health may be restored. Mrs. Virginia C. Sargeant has acceptably taught in Blair School this year.

Because of the territorial size of Campton there will always be the possibility of transportation obligations that will vary from year to year. Up to the pres-

ent time there has been general adherence to the statutory two-mile transportation limit established in 1919. How long this may continue depends upon the will of the school district and whatever development is experienced in the increase of highway hazards.

From time to time suggestions and requests for services are received that more often than not have to be refused. As long as our children are housed in six widely separated schools it will be impossible to give them all the services they might enjoy in a single large school. Water and toilet facilities, school hot lunches, and recreation are among those things which natural conditions limit severely. At some future period Campton may be able to have a modern, centralized school, but, in the meantime, we must be prepared to accept the limitations we are powerless to remove.

More reference books, new and enlarged map equipment, and progressive replacement of old school furniture are among the things we should acquire as rapidly as financial means permit. Since nearly all school children are unable to enjoy library privileges, we ought to put as much at their disposal in school as we possibly can.

The statistical tables that follow have been reduced in number to include only such information as may be essential for public record.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR S. ROLLINS,

Supt. of Schools

1950-1951 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Term Begins	Term Ends	No. Weeks	No. Days
Sept. 6, 1950	Dec. 21, 1950	16	72
Jan. 2, 1951	Feb. 16, 1951	7	34
Feb. 26, 1951	April 20, 1951	8	40
April 30, 1951	June 15, 1951	7	34
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		38	180

This calendar provides for opening all schools on Wednesday after Labor Day and closing all schools on Thursday, December 21. The fall term of 16 weeks contains 72 school days in addition to one day out for Plymouth Fair; two days for Teachers' Convention; and two days at Thanksgiving.

Since the two Convention days may be counted as a part of the school year, the calendar contains a possible 182 days. If more than two days should be lost because of bad weather, the required minimum of 180 days could be met either by Saturday sessions or by keeping school as long as necessary after June 15.

1949 GRADUATES CAMPTON EIGHTH GRADE

Beebe River

Bolton, Jo-Anne
Hopkins, Donald George
Hutt, Edwin James
McNeil, Roland Ralph
Raymond, Ronald E.
Smith, Elaine A.

Blair

Dudley, Barbara Anne

Center

Greene, Joyce Mae

Livermore

Marsden, Marlene Emilie
Moren, Leone Alice

Village

Balser, Frederick Otto
Dickinson, Janet Lorraine
Downing, Roland
Drake, William Harris
Johnson, Grace Estelle
Marden, Barbara Ann
Saulnier, Mona Fay

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE—1948-1949

Batchelder, Donna	Gross, Arnold
Bolton, Jo-Anne	Hill, Allan M.
Brown, Abby	Mitchell, Norma
Brown, George	Moren, Donald
Dickinson, Janet	Moulton, Robert
Drake, William	Saulnier, Edward
Edgell, Darlene	Woodbury, Webster

TEACHERS IN CAMPTON SCHOOLS—1949-1950

Beebe	Mrs. Altha W. Gay	Grades 5-8
Beebe	Mrs. Viola P. Bump	Grades 1-4
Blair	Mrs. Virginia C. Sargeant	Grades 1-8
Branch	Mrs. Mildred Uhlman	Grades 1-8
Center	Mrs. Eva S. Grey	Grades 1-8
Livermore	Mrs. Mildred Avery	Grades 1-8
Village	Mrs. Lavinia E. Dole	Grades 5-8
Village	Miss Julia L. Pease	Grades 1-4
Stephen E. Childs—Music.		

